Docket No.: 10-0247 **Bench Date:** 09-09-10

Deadline: N/A

MEMORANDUM

TO: The Commission

FROM: Larry Jones, Administrative Law Judge

DATE: August 27, 2010

SUBJECT: Associated Network Partners, Inc. ("Petitioner")

Petition for relief to protect Petitioner's Annual Report from disclosure for not less than two years in order to protect

highly proprietary information.

RECOMMENDATION: Entry of the attached Order Granting the Petition.

Petitioner holds a Certificate of Service Authority authorizing it to provide competitive telecommunications services. Petitioner seeks an order protecting from disclosure, for a period of not less than two years, certain financial and commercial information contained in its Annual Report for 2009.

Petitioner explained why disclosure of the information could cause competitive harm within the meaning of the exemption in Section 7(g) of the Freedom of Information Act, 5 ILCS 140/1 et seq.

The attached order would grant the requested proprietary treatment for a period of two years.

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